



# Richmond Limousine

"Based out of Richmond, Virginia Richmond Limousine is a full service ground transportation company. Our focus is on creating relationships with our employees, clients, and our community."

**Green Statement:** "With over twenty vehicles in our fleet we realize that our impact on the environment is something that needs to be addressed. In 2017 we will be planting over 10,000 trees in Virginia and planting over 2 million oysters. Two trees will be planted per reservation and one oyster for every mile drive in our vehicles"

# **CORE ACTIVITIES for Transportation Facilities**

- **Recycling.** Virginia Green facilities must have highly-visible locations/containers that provide the opportunity to recycle. This facility pledges that they:
  - Offer the opportunity for customers to recycle: plastic bottles, aluminum cans, newspaper
  - Provide recycling bins in vehicle clean-out areas
  - Provide recycling bins in traveler departure areas
  - Have a program in place for staff to recycle plastic bottles, aluminum cans, newspaper, office paper, toner cartridges, fluorescent lamps, & electronic equipment
- Reduce Solid Waste. The facility must be actively working to reduce its solid waste generation. This facility pledges that they:

# Restaurant & Food Service

- Use disposable foodservice items that are made from bio-based, renewable materials (corn, bamboo, potato starch, sugarcane, etc.)
- Recycle fryer grease
- Purchase recycled-content paper-towels and toilet paper

## Office

- Remove facility and staff names from junk mail lists when possible
- Reuse scrap paper for notes
- Purchase recycled paper with a high-percentage recycled content
- Make double-sided photocopies and avoid making extra photocopies
- **Use water efficiently.** The facility must have a plan in place and have taken steps toward reducing its water use. This facility pledges that they:

# Indoor Activities

- Have installed low flow faucets and showerheads (use less than 2.5 gallons per minute)
- Have installed low flow toilets (use 1.6 gallons per flush or less)

#### Outdoor Activities

Have an effective landscape management plan



- Conserve energy. The facility must have a plan in place and have taken steps toward reducing its energy use. This facility pledges that they:
  - Have had an energy audit to identify efficiency opportunities within the past 12 months
  - Have established a numeric goal to reduce energy usage over time
  - Calculate the environmental impacts of the facility's energy usage by using a pollution calculator

## Transportation-related energy use

- Use alternative fuel, hybrid-electric, or electric vehicles
- Provide priority privileges for cabs, shuttles, and others that use alternative fuel, hybridelectric, or electric vehicles

# Heating and cooling

- Have installed ceiling fans
- Keep office doors and windows closed if HVAC system is on

# <u>Lighting</u>

- Use natural lighting
- Have installed high efficiency fluorescent ballasts and lamps (T-5 and T-8)



### Source of energy

- Generate electricity from photovoltaic solar panels

- ✓ Promotion of Virginia Green. They must commit to educating their guests about the green activities that they have undertaken to minimize their impacts on the environment. This facility pledges that they:
  - Use the Virginia Green logo on transportation vehicles
  - Use the Virginia Green logo on our website
  - Regional Virginia Green participants promoted

For more information on Richmond Limousine, see www.richmondvalimousine.com or contact Jesse Mobley at info@richmondlimo.com or 804-266-2800.

**Virginia Green** is the Commonwealth of Virginia's campaign to promote environmentally-friendly practices in all aspects of Virginia's tourism industry. **Virginia Green Transportation Facilities** have been thoughtfully planned and designed to minimize their impacts on the environment. This Transportation Facility has met the established "core activities" for **Green Transportation Facilities** and has committed to communicate its activities to its guests.

For more information on **Virginia Green** program, see <a href="http://staging.deq.virginia.gov/Programs/PollutionPrevention/VirginiaGreen.aspx">www.virginiagreentravel.org</a> or <a href="http://staging.deq.virginia.gov/Programs/PollutionPrevention/VirginiaGreen.aspx">http://staging.deq.virginia.gov/Programs/PollutionPrevention/VirginiaGreen.aspx</a>.



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